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information identification code stored in the storage step to the external device.

24. A computer-readable storage medium storing a program for implementing a method of controlling a portable terminal apparatus, the program comprising:

program code of a display step of displaying received information;

program code of an extraction step of extracting an information identification code from the information displayed in the display step; and

program code of a storage step of storing the information identification code extracted in the extraction step.--

REMARKS

Original Claims 1-5 have been cancelled, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter presented therein. New Claims 6-24 have been added to provide Applicants with a more complete scope of protection. Claims 6, 14, and 21-24 are in independent form.

A Request for Approval of Drawing Changes has been submitted herewith, in which certain clerical and/or

typographical errors in the drawings are corrected. Approval of the Request is respectfully requested.

An early and favorable examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

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